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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL Address to: Mail Stop RCE Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450	Application No.	10/622.919
	Filing Date	July 17, 2003
	First Named Inventor	NORAKER
	Art Unit	3643
	Examiner	Rowan, K.
	Attorney Docket No.	1162-227
	Express Mail No.	Via Facsimile

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application. Request for Continued Examination (RCE) practice under 37 CFR 1.114 does not apply to any utility or plant application filed prior to June 8, 1995, or to any design application.

- 1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114.** Note: If the RCE is proper, any previously-filed, unentered amendments and amendments enclosed with the RCE will be entered in the order in which they were filed unless applicant instructs otherwise. If applicant does not wish to have any previously filed unentered amendment(s) entered, applicant must request non-entry of such amendments.

a. ☐ Previously submitted. If a final Office Action is outstanding, any amendments filed after the final Office Action may be considered as a submission even if this box is not checked.

i. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on

ii. ☐ Other 12/01/2005 STEUHEL1 00000002 191970 10622919

b. ☒ Enclosed

i. ☒ Amendment/Reply

iii. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)

ii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)

iv. ☐ Other _____
- 2. Miscellaneous**

a. ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 CFR 1.103(c) for a period of _____ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) required).

b. ☐ Other _____
- 3. Fees.** The RCE fee under 37 CFR 1.17(e) is required by 37 CFR 1.114 when the RCE is filed.

a. ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge the following fees, or credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 19-1970. I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet

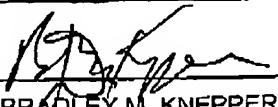
i. ☒ RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) 12/01/2005 TBESHAH1 00000026 191970 10622919

ii. ☐ Extension of time fee (37 C.F.R. §§ 1.136 and 1.17) 01 FC:2801 395.00 DA

iii. ☐ Other _____

b. ☐ Check in the amount of \$_____ enclosed

c. ☐ Payment by credit card (Form PTO-2038 enclosed).

Signature		Date	<u>November 29, 2005</u>
Name (Print/Type)	BRADLEY M. KNEPPER	Registration No. (Attorney/Agent)	44,189

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FEE TRANSMITTAL		Complete if Known	
		Application Number	10/622,919
		Filing Date	July 17, 2003
		First Named Inventor	NORAKER
		Examiner Name	Rowan, K.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27		Art Unit	3643
Total Amount of Payment	\$200.00	Attorney Docket No.	1162-227

METHOD OF PAYMENT (check all that apply)

- ☐ Check ☐ Credit Card ☐ Money Order ☐ None ☐ Other (please identify: _____)
- ☒ Deposit Account Deposit Account Number: 19-1970 Deposit Account Name: Sheridan Ross PC
- For the above-identified deposit account, the Director is hereby authorized to: (check all that apply)
- ☒ Charge fee(s) indicated below ☐ Charge fee(s) indicated below, except for the filing fee
☒ Charge any additional fee(s) or underpayments of fee(s) under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 ☒ Credit any overpayments

FEE CALCULATION**1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES**

Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		Fees Paid (\$)
	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	50.00
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	180	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES

Fee Description	Total Claims		Extra Claims	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fees Paid (\$)
Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)		- 20 or HP =	4	x 50	x 25	\$100.00
Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)		- 3 or HP =	1	x 200	x 100	\$100.00
Multiple dependent claims				360	180	

3. APPLICATION SIZE FEE

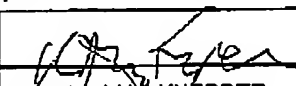
If the specification and drawings exceed 100 sheets of paper (excluding electronically filed sequence or computer listings under 37 CFR 1.52(e)), the application size fee due is \$250 (\$125 for small entity) for each additional 50 sheets or fraction thereof. See 35 U.S.C. 41(a)(1)(G) and 37 CFR 1.16(s).

Total Sheets		Extra Sheets		Number of each additional 50 or fraction thereof	Fee (\$)		Fee Paid
0	- 100 =	-100	/ 50 =	0	\$125.00	=	\$0.00

4. OTHER FEE(S)

	Fee Paid
Non-English Specification, \$130 fee (no small entity discount)	0.00
Other (e.g., late filing surcharge):	

SUBMITTED BY

Signature		Registration No. (Attorney/Agent) 44,189	Telephone 303-863-9700
Name (Print/Type)	BRADLEY M. KNEPPER	Date	November 29, 2005